



Major John K. Baker Deputy District Engineer for Support Operations

Major John K. Baker became the Deputy District Engineer for Support Operations in August 2005. Major Baker's previous assignment was with the Afghanistan Engineer District as Resident Engineer at Gardez, Afghanistan.

Major Baker is from College Station, Texas and was a Distinguished Military Graduate of Texas A&M University, Class of 1994. His first assignment was with the 1st Engineer Battalion, 1st Infantry Division at Ft. Riley, Kansas, where he served as a platoon leader, company executive officer, and battalion logistics officer. Major Baker later served with the 1st Cavalry Division at Ft. Hood, Texas as an assistant brigade engineer for the 8th Engineer Battalion (3rd Brigade) and commander of B Company, 91st Engineer Battalion. Following the completion of graduate school, Major Baker was then assigned to the Corps of Engineers Baltimore District, where he served as the Deputy Area Engineer for the Capital Area Office at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia.

Major Baker has a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering from Texas A&M University and a Master of Science degree in civil engineering from the University of Maryland-College Park. His military education includes the Engineer Officer Basic Course and Infantry Officer Advanced Course. He is a registered professional engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Major Baker's decorations include the Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Ranger Tab, Sapper Tab, and Parachutist Badge.